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TAGS: SOCI XF

SUBJ: HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION--EGYPTIAN DRAFT RESOLUTION

REF: A. STATE 027832

B. STATE 027874

C. USUN 458

1. DURING COURSE OF P.M. MEETING FEB 11, US REP HOFFMAN INFORMED ISRAELI DEL (DORON AND BARMORE) OF US VOTING POSITION, MAKING POINTS PARA 4 REF B. ISRAELIS DID NOT DISPUTE BASIS FOR US POSITION BUT INDICATED GRAVE DISAPPOINTMENT THAT US CHANGING LAST YEAR'S NEGATIVE POSITION ON RES AS A WHOLE.

2. ISRAELI DEL EXPRESSED ESPECIAL CONCERN OVER OUTCOME OF SEPARATE VOTE ON FIRST OP PARA 1 WHICH CONTAINS REF TO WAR CRIMES. RECALLING THAT SAME PARA IN RES ADOPTED AT LAST YEAR'S HRC RECEIVED 9 NEGATIVE VOTES, THEY REQUESTED THAT US DEL IN CONSULTATIONS WITH OTHER WEOS ENCOURAGE MAINTENANCE NEGATIVE VOTE ON THIS PARA. HOFFMAN AGREED. IN SUBSEQUENT CONVER-

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SATIONS US DEL LEARNED THAT UK AND ITALY HAD INSTRUCTIONS

TO ABSTAIN ON ALL PARAS OF EGYPTIAN DRAFT RES INCLUDING  
OP PARA 1. (AT LAST YEAR'S SESSION THESE TWO DELS PLUS  
AUSTRIA, FRANCE, NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, AND US OF WEOS VOTED  
AGAINST OP PARA 1.) US DEL ALSO WAS INFORMED BY NETHERLANDS  
AND FRANCE THAT IN INTEREST OF EEC SOLIDARITY, THEY INSTRUCTED  
TO ABSTAIN ON ALL PARAS INCLUDING OP PARA 1.

3. AS REPORTED REF C, VOTE ON OP PARA 1 WAS 18-4(US, NICA-  
RAGUA, AUSTRIA, NORWAY)-8(CHILE, FRANCE, ITALY, NETHERLANDS,  
PANAMA, PERU, ROMANIA, UK).

4. US DEL GAVE NO EXPLANATION OF VOTE. AS YET NO QUESTIONS  
HAVE BEEN RAISED BY THE PRESS.

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